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Doses of Clarithromycin

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the final Office Action dated May 27,2009 A one month extension of the deadline for response to the Office Action is respectfully requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and the appropriate fee is submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper. No additional claims fees are due.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.